

Village of Mount Pleasant Public Works Committee Meeting Minutes

Committee Members Present: F. Risler, J. Schneider, D. Anastasio

Committee Members Excused: A. Docksey

Village Board Members Present:

Staff: T. Beyer, R. Bowers, L. Weber, T. Alvarez, W. Hanson

Other:

- 1. Call to Order The Public Works Committee Meeting was called to order by F. Risler at 9:00 AM
- 2. Public Comment None
- **3.** Adoption of Public Works Committee April 14, 2022 Meeting Minutes J .Schneider motioned to approve the April 14, 2022 meeting minutes as presented, D. Anastasio seconded the motion. Motion carried 3-0.
- **4. Delegation of State Highway Maintenance WisDOT** The Village was contacted by a new staff member from WisDOT regarding a policy in place from 2014 related to local maintenance for state highways. Historically Racine County has been responsible for maintenance on behalf of the Village. The Village is not equipped and does not have the adequate staff to take on the maintenance of the State highways in Mount Pleasant and would like the County to continue to maintain these facilities.
- **5. 2022 Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Lake Park Bluff** In December of 2020 Village Staff partnered with state officials to submit the application to receive the grant but were not chosen. The application was re-submitted and in March of 2021 Staff received notification that they were selected to receive the grant funding. Staff is currently working on the second portion of the application process. Award should be no later than September of 2022 with construction set for 2023 and 2024.
- **6. 2022 BIL Funding Application** In November of 2021 a bill was passed that allocated more funding to local municipalities for projects through WisDOT. Staff would like to focus on the reconstruction of Lathrop Ave. and Chicory Rd. for the application.
- 7. Regalia Municipal Complaint Chicory Road Signage The Village received a complaint from a resident who is also the chief engineer at Racine Water Utility. There are concerns with the signage on Chicory Rd. There was a detour in place which caused confusion on where truck traffic should be routed and believes that is what prompted the complaint. Staff worked with the DOT to rectify the situation with the detour. Staff would also like to look into options to have new signage installed along Chicory Rd. for truck traffic.
- 8. Committee and Staff Reports
 - **Director of Public Works 2022 Paving Program Update** The preconstruction meeting for the paving program was last week. This project should start late May, early June.
 - Deputy Director of Public Works None
 - Public Works Superintendent None
- **9. Adjourn** D. Anastasio motioned to adjourn the Public Works Committee meeting at 9:27 AM, J. Schneider seconded the motion. Motion carried 3-0.